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Filing Date: April 24, 2001

Inventors: Maher et al.

Title: IN SITU THERMAL

PROCESSING OF A COAL FORMATION WITH A SELECTED MOISTURE

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SUBMISSION OF FORMAL DRAWINGS PURSUANT TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED JUNE 25, 2002

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Sir:

Applicant hereby submits 7 sheets of formal drawings (FIGS. 23a, 23b, 32, 44, 54, 55, 59, 60 and 63) for the approved corrected drawings in the above-referenced application and requests that these drawings be accepted for filing.

Respectfully submitted,

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